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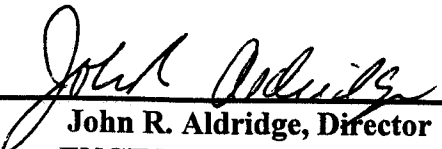
RE: EMERGENCY REQUEST OF December 10, 2001
SAND(s): CIBICIDES HAZZADI 3 SAND, RESERVOIR A
FIELD: SARDINE POINT FIELD
PARISH: East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana •
APPLICANT: ZINN PETROLEUM COMPANY

Dear Mr. Smelley:

Because of the reason set forth in your emergency request letter, it has been determined that undue hardship would be caused by the 20-day delay prescribed in Rule 3 of the Revised Rules of Procedure, effective October 11, 1983. You are therefore permitted to immediately file your application in compliance with Rule 8 of the Revised Rules of Procedure.

Yours truly,

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
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BY: 
John R. Aldridge, Director
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Re: EMERGENCY REQUEST.

Cibicides Hazzardi 3 Sand, Reservoir A, SARDINE
POINT FIELD, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana.

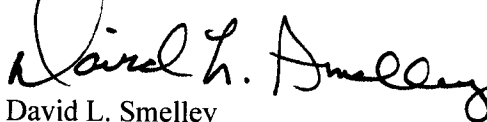
Dear Mr. Aldridge:

Attached is a plat reflecting the one (1) drilling and production unit (CIB HAZ 3 RA SUA) which Zinn Petroleum Company ("Applicant") proposes to create for the Cibicides Hazzardi 3 Sand, Reservoir A, in the Sardine Point Field, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana. Applicant is the operator of the Gianelloni-Ferro No. 1 Well, shown within the proposed unit, and is the owner of leases covering acreage within this proposed unit. This well has been producing from a deeper unitized horizon, the 9700' Sand, Reservoir A. All of the leases within the proposed unit are beyond their primary terms and are being held in force only by the Gianelloni-Ferro No. 1 Well. Applicant intends to recomplete the Gianelloni-Ferro No. 1 Well into the Cib Haz 3 Sand for which no unit exists.

In order to preserve the leasehold interests of Applicant in this area, it is respectfully requested that Applicant be allowed to utilize the emergency procedure in the calling of a public hearing to create the unit shown on the attached plat so that unitization can be accomplished prior to the expiration of Applicant's leasehold rights. In this respect, in light of the rework provisions of the non-drillsite leases, we need an order by February 11, 2002, so as to achieve unitization prior to expiration of the rework period.

With best regards, I remain

Yours very truly,



David L. Smelley

Attorney for Zinn Petroleum Company

DLS:dp

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson (w/encl.)
Mr. Bob Zinn (w/encl.)
Mr. Joe B. Adams (w/encl.)

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Cib haz 3 RA SUA
Glanelloni-Ferro No. 1
+/- 113 Ac.

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Glanelloni

10,077'

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ROUGE
PARISH

O/W

S. L. 3579

CALCO
ST. Glanelloni

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9500' TVD

ZINN
(Calco)

Glanelloni - Ferro et al

11,005'

BARREILLE

ZINN
(Calco)

Ferro et al

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MPS Prod. Co. et al
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○ = Proposed Unit Well

0' 500' 1000'

ZINN PETROLEUM CO.

Sardine Point Field
East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana

PROPOSED UNIT
Cib haz 3 RA SUA

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625 North 4th Street
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

Re: **APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

Cibicides Hazzardi 3 Sand, Reservoir A, SARDINE
POINT FIELD, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

ZINN PETROLEUM COMPANY ("Applicant") hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cibicides Hazzardi ("Cib Haz") 3 Sand, Reservoir A, in the Sardine Point Field, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana:

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cib Haz 3 Sand, Reservoir A.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cib Haz 3 Sand, Reservoir A, such unit being designated CIB H 3 RA SUA and being shown on the attached plat.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate a unit operator of, and unit well for, the proposed unit as may be appropriate.
5. To provide that future wells drilled to the Cib Haz 3 Sand outside of the unit proposed herein be located in accordance with the provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.

6. To provide that any future replacement and/or alternate unit well for CIB H 3 RA SUA be exempt from the well location provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.

7. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the Cib Haz 3 Sand, Reservoir A, by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such a reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.

8. To define the Cib Haz 3 Sand, Reservoir A, as that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the measured depths of 9,572' and 9,578' in the Zinn Petroleum Company (formerly Calco)--Gianelloni-Ferro No. 1 Well, located in Section 45, Township 8 South, Range 1 East, East Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana.

9. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

Pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the offices of Mr. Joe B. Adams, 4520 Jamestown Avenue, Suite 6, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Mr. Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data which is not otherwise available from the records of the Louisiana Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

Applicant has heretofore received from you a waiver of the pre-application notice requirements and Rule 3 of the Revised Rules of Procedure effective October 11, 1983; and, therefore, Applicant has not considered such requirements applicable.

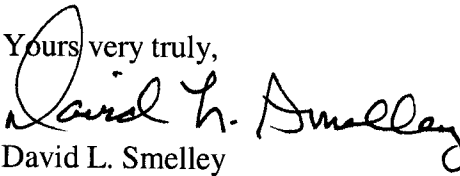
Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of the unit plat is enclosed herewith and a copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties as shown on the attached list. If any of these parties desire to confer with Applicant concerning these proposals, they are hereby notified that a conference will be held at 1:30 P.M. on December 27, 2001, at the Radisson Hotel, 4728 Constitution Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808. Any person intending to attend the conference is requested to so notify the undersigned at (318) 429-7200.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Sardine Point Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, a copy of the Legal Notice will be mailed to all

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Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

Finally, we enclose our check payable to the Commissioner of Conservation for the application fee.

Yours very truly,

David L. Smelley

-- Attorney for Zinn Petroleum Company

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Mr. Bob Zinn (w/encls.)
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